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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 09/643,686

Applicants : Gerald QUAPIL et al.
Title : DEVICE FOR ANALYZING IMMUNOASSAYS

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RULE 116 AMENDMENT

In response to the Final Office Action dated June 15, 2004, Applicants submit the following Amendment and Reply. A Notice of Appeal is being submitted herewith along with a request for a Three (3) Month Extension of Time. The Application is amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 8.

The requisite fees should be charged to Deposit Account No. 22-0261.